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In connection with the above-named case, the People voluntarily provide the following information regarding:

MOS NAME: ANIBAL TORRES

MOS TAX: 947862

in satisfaction (to the extent applicable) of their constitutional, statutory, and ethical obligations. Further, the People reserve the right to move in limine to preclude reference to this information, or otherwise to object to its use and/or introduction into evidence.

Disclosure # 1:

BY DECISION AND ORDER, DATED OCTOBER 24, 2016, ACTING SUPREME COURT JUSTICE RUTH SHILLINGFORD GRANTED THE DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO SUPPRESS EVIDENCE AND STATEMENTS FOLLOWING A MAPP/HUNTLEY/DUNAWAY HEARING IN PEOPLE V. XXX (SUP. CT. KINGS CTY. INDICTMENT NO. 9868/15). MOS TORRES, SHIELD NUMBER 2123, AND MOS DENNIS WESTBROOK, SHIELD NUMBER 19650, TESTIFIED FOR THE PEOPLE. THE DEFENDANT PRESENTED THE TESTIMONY OF TWO WITNESSES IN ADDITION TO TESTIFYING ON HIS OWN BEHALF. AFTER REVIEWING ALL OF THE HEARING TESTIMONY, JUSTICE SHILLINGFORD "AGREED" WITH THE DEFENSE ARGUMENT THAT "THE TESTIMONY OF THE OFFICERS [WAS] UNWORTHY OF BELIEF AND 'TAILORED TO OVERCOME CONSTITUTIONAL OBJECTIONS.'" THE COURT NOTED INCONSISTENCIES IN THE TESTIMONY OF THE TWO POLICE OFFICERS, REFUSED TO CREDIT PARTS OF THE OFFICERS' TESTIMONY WHILE CREDITING PARTS OF THE DEFENSE TESTIMONY, AND FOUND ASPECTS OF THE OFFICERS' TESTIMONY "STRAIN[ED]" OR "DEFI[ED]" CREDULITY. THE CASE WAS SUBSEQUENTLY DISMISSED.

A REDACTED COPY OF THE DECISION IS ATTACHED HERETO.

Disclosure # 2:

THE NYPD SUBSTANTIATED THE FOLLOWING ALLEGATION(S), DATED 08/21/2015, AGAINST MOS TORRES: ALLEGATION(S):

1. DISPUTED SEARCH OF A PERSON CASE STATUS: CLOSED ON 04/22/2016 ACTION TAKEN: VERBAL INSTRUCTIONS

IN ADDITION, THE PEOPLE ARE AWARE OF THE FOLLOWING SUBSTANTIATED AND OR PENDING CCRB ALLEGATIONS AGAINST MOS TORRES:

Disclosure #3:

CCRB CASE: 201510769 REPORT DATE: 12/23/15 INCIDENT DATE: 12/22/15

SUBSTANTIATED CCRB ALLEGATIONS:

Abuse – Frisk
 Abuse – Stop

Eric Gonzalez District Attorney Kings County

SEE BELOW FOR ATTACHED JUDICIAL DECISION